



# State of New Jersey

## 2014-15

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The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) is pleased to present these annual reports of School Performance. These reports are designed to inform parents, educators and communities about how well a school is performing and preparing its students for college and careers.

In particular, the School Performance Reports seek to:

- **Focus** attention on metrics that are indicative of college and career readiness.
- **Benchmark** a school's performance against other peer schools that are educating similar students, against statewide outcomes, and against state targets to illuminate and build upon a school's strengths and identify areas for improvement.
- **Improve** educational outcomes for students by providing both longitudinal and growth data so that progress can be measured as part of an individual school's efforts to engage in continuous improvement.

While the New Jersey School Performance Reports seek to bring more information to educators and stakeholders about the performance of schools, they do not seek to distill the performance of schools into a single metric, a single score, or a simplified conclusion. Instead, the intention is that educators and stakeholders will engage in deep, lengthy conversations about the full range of the data presented. As educators know well, measuring school performance is both an art and a science. While the School Performance Report brings attention to important student outcomes, NJDOE does not collect data about other essential elements of a school, such as the provision of opportunities to participate and excel in extracurricular activities; the development of non-cognitive skills like time management and perseverance; the pervasiveness of a positive school culture or climate; or the attainment of other employability and technical skills, as many of these data are beyond both the capacity and resources of schools to measure and collect well.

To learn more about New Jersey's school accountability system, please visit: <http://www.nj.gov/education/educators/>.

### DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

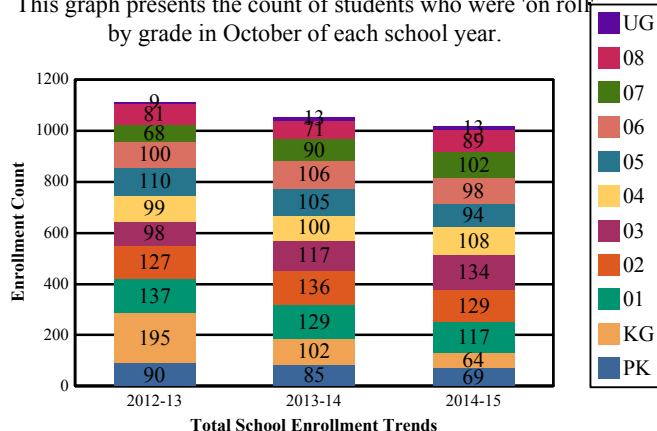
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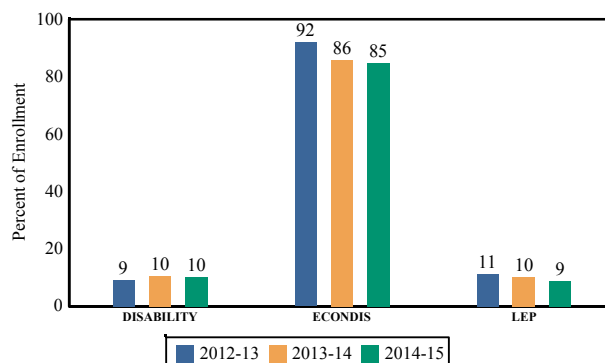
### Enrollment by Grade

This graph presents the count of students who were 'on roll' by grade in October of each school year.



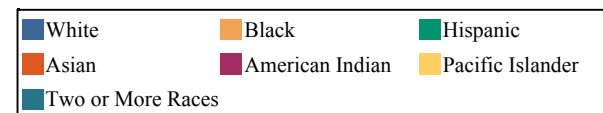
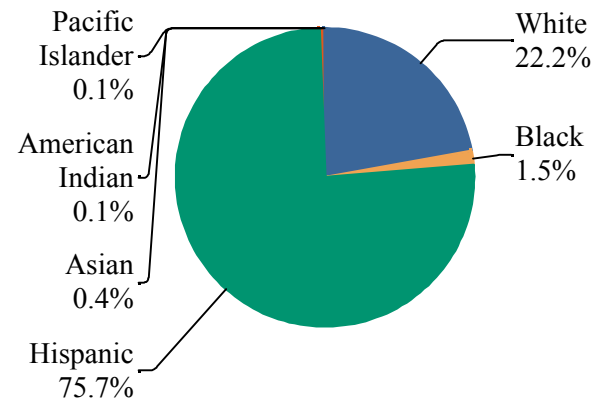
### Enrollment Trends by Program Participation

This graph presents the percentages of students by program participation who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



### Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.



### Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

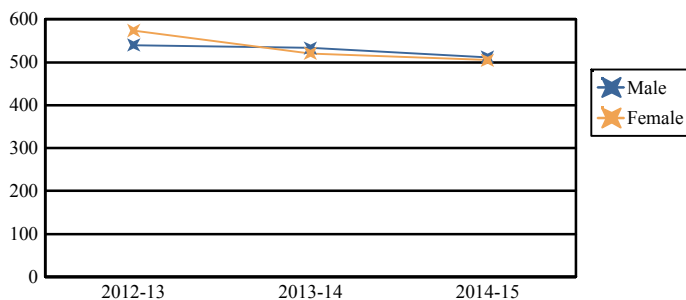
2014-15	Percent
Spanish	59.7%
English	25.4%
Portuguese	14.4%
Chinese	0.2%
Arabic	0.2%

### Total School Enrollment

2012-13	1,114
2013-14	1,054
2014-15	1,017

### Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in October of each school year.



	Male	Female
2012-13	540	574
2013-14	533	521
2014-15	512	505

### Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

2014-15	Count of Students	% of Enrollment
Students with Disability	103	10%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	862	84.8%
English Language Learners	88	8.7%

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The Academic Achievement section measures the content knowledge that students have in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math as demonstrated in the 2014-2015 *Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers* (PARCC) assessments. The below chart consist of three columns. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - includes the percentage of students in ELA/L and Math who met or exceeded grade level expectations. The middle column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to its peers. The last column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's outcomes compared to schools across the state.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile
English Language Arts/Literacy Met or Exceeded Expectation	<b>42%</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>39</b>
Math Met or Exceeded Expectation	<b>40%</b>		

**ESEA Waiver - English Language Arts/Literacy**

This table presents, for each subgroup in the school, the total number of valid test scores, the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectations, the assessment participation goal, and the participation rate. The participation goal is established as 95% by the United States Department of Education.

Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	596	41.6%	95%	94.6%	<b>YES</b>
White	131	47.3%	95%	88.5%	<b>YES*</b>
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	453	39.8%	95%	97%	<b>YES</b>
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	60	18.3%	95%	93.7%	<b>YES*</b>
English Language Learners	-	-	--	--	--
Economically Disadvantaged Students	461	40.8%	95%	95.4%	<b>YES</b>

**YES\* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)**

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

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ESEA Waiver - Math

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Subgroups	Valid Scores	% Meeting Standards	Participation Goal	Participation Rate	Met Participation?
Schoolwide	598	40.3%	95%	94.1%	YES*
White	131	48.9%	95%	88.5%	YES*
African American	-	-	--	--	--
Hispanic	455	37.8%	95%	96.2%	YES
American Indian	-	-	--	--	--
Asian	-	-	--	--	--
Two or More Races	-	-	--	--	--
Students with Disability	-	-	--	--	--
English Learner Students	50	18%	95%	96.2%	YES
Economically Disadvantaged Students	463	39.9%	95%	95.7%	YES

YES\* = Met Participation Rate (Participation Averaging applied)

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PARCC Performance Level

The PARCC assesses how well students have learned grade-level material in English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA/L) and Math. The tests include questions that measure students' fundamental skills and knowledge, and require them to think critically, solve problems and support or explain their answers.

The PARCC reports students' overall scale scores that range from 650 to 850. To determine whether students have met academic expectations for their grade level/course in ELA/L and Math, students' overall scale scores are categorized into five Performance Levels. Students performing at levels 4 and 5 (met or exceeded expectations) have demonstrated readiness for the next grade level/course, and are on track for college and careers.

Five Performance Levels				
<b>Level 1:</b> Did Not Yet Meet Expectations <i>(Min. 650)</i>	<b>Level 2:</b> Partially Met Expectations	<b>Level 3:</b> Approached Expectations	<b>Level 4:</b> Met Expectations	<b>Level 5:</b> Exceeded Expectations <i>(Max. 850)</i>

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**PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 03**

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 - Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	135	735	744	13%	28%	26%	32%	1%	33%	44%
White	24	747	753	21%	13%	33%	29%	4%	33%	55%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	26%
Hispanic	107	733	727	12%	30%	24%	34%	0%	34%	26%
American Indian	-	-	738	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	70%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	53%
Students with Disability	12	718	718	17%	58%	8%	17%	0%	17%	24%
English Language Learners	-	-	709	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	118	734	724	14%	27%	27%	32%	0%	32%	24%

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Schoolwide	107	739	751	8%	21%	36%	33%	2%	35%	52%
White	26	748	758	0%	12%	46%	38%	4%	42%	63%
African American	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	30%
Hispanic	79	736	737	11%	23%	33%	32%	1%	33%	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Asian	-	-	773	-	-	-	-	-	-	78%
Two or More Races	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	62%
Students with Disability	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	85	739	734	8%	22%	32%	36%	1%	38%	31%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 05

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	92	747	751	11%	16%	25%	39%	9%	48%	53%
White	16	744	757	13%	13%	25%	44%	6%	50%	62%
African American	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	75	747	737	11%	17%	25%	39%	8%	47%	35%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	45%
Asian	-	-	771	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	758	-	-	-	-	-	-	61%
Students with Disability	-	-	723	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	66	746	734	8%	18%	27%	41%	6%	47%	31%



PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 06

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	99	744	749	7%	18%	26%	43%	5%	48%	50%
White	28	743	755	4%	25%	21%	46%	4%	50%	59%
African American	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%
Hispanic	68	744	736	9%	16%	29%	41%	4%	46%	34%
American Indian	-	-	743	-	-	-	-	-	-	39%
Asian	-	-	770	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	57%
Students with Disability	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
English Language Learners	-	-	711	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	744	733	6%	18%	33%	38%	6%	43%	30%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 07

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	102	747	750	7%	16%	29%	39%	9%	48%	53%
White	26	753	757	8%	12%	23%	42%	15%	58%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	75	745	736	7%	17%	32%	37%	7%	44%	36%
American Indian	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	777	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	756	-	-	-	-	-	-	58%
Students with Disability	13	732	713	8%	31%	31%	31%	0%	31%	18%
English Language Learners	-	-	703	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	73	747	733	4%	19%	27%	41%	8%	49%	33%

PARCC ELA Performance Distribution - Grade - 08

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	61	739	750	13%	18%	26%	39%	3%	43%	53%
White	11	745	757	0%	27%	18%	55%	0%	55%	61%
African American	-	-	730	-	-	-	-	-	-	31%
Hispanic	49	737	735	16%	16%	29%	35%	4%	39%	37%
American Indian	-	-	741	-	-	-	-	-	-	49%
Asian	-	-	778	-	-	-	-	-	-	80%
Two or More Races	-	-	753	-	-	-	-	-	-	55%
Students with Disability	11	724	713	27%	18%	27%	27%	0%	27%	16%
English Language Learners	-	-	701	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	47	739	732	13%	17%	28%	38%	4%	43%	34%

PARCC MATH - Performance Distribution - Grade - 03

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	135	746	746	4%	23%	24%	44%	4%	48%	46%
White	24	753	752	4%	17%	13%	63%	4%	67%	56%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	25%
Hispanic	107	744	733	5%	23%	27%	40%	5%	45%	28%
American Indian	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	41%
Asian	-	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-	77%
Two or More Races	-	-	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	54%
Students with Disability	12	726	727	17%	42%	25%	17%	0%	17%	27%
English Language Learners	13	732	724	0%	38%	38%	23%	0%	23%	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	118	745	730	4%	23%	25%	43%	4%	47%	26%

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Schoolwide	107	741	744	3%	17%	50%	30%	1%	31%	42%
White	26	750	749	0%	8%	46%	46%	0%	46%	50%
African American	-	-	727	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	79	739	732	4%	20%	49%	25%	1%	27%	26%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	52%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
English Language Learners	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	85	743	730	1%	16%	49%	32%	1%	33%	23%

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Schoolwide	92	746	744	2%	16%	39%	37%	5%	42%	42%
White	16	746	749	6%	13%	38%	38%	6%	44%	49%
African American	-	-	728	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
Hispanic	75	746	733	1%	17%	40%	36%	5%	41%	26%
American Indian	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Asian	-	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-	74%
Two or More Races	-	-	749	-	-	-	-	-	-	50%
Students with Disability	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
English Language Learners	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	66	745	731	2%	15%	42%	38%	3%	41%	23%

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Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	99	738	743	8%	27%	24%	36%	4%	40%	42%
White	28	734	749	18%	21%	25%	36%	0%	36%	50%
African American	-	-	726	-	-	-	-	-	-	19%
Hispanic	68	740	731	4%	31%	24%	35%	6%	41%	25%
American Indian	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	768	-	-	-	-	-	-	75%
Two or More Races	-	-	745	-	-	-	-	-	-	44%
Students with Disability	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
English Language Learners	-	-	718	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	72	739	729	6%	28%	29%	35%	3%	38%	23%

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Schoolwide	103	740	740	3%	18%	42%	35%	2%	37%	38%
White	26	743	745	4%	12%	38%	46%	0%	46%	46%
African American	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	17%
Hispanic	76	740	730	3%	20%	43%	32%	3%	34%	23%
American Indian	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	32%
Asian	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	68%
Two or More Races	-	-	742	-	-	-	-	-	-	43%
Students with Disability	-	-	715	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
English Language Learners	-	-	717	-	-	-	-	-	-	11%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	74	740	728	3%	22%	41%	32%	3%	35%	21%



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White	-	-	732	-	-	-	-	-	-	29%
African American	-	-	715	-	-	-	-	-	-	14%
Hispanic	42	733	721	14%	29%	29%	26%	2%	29%	19%
American Indian	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%
Asian	-	-	744	-	-	-	-	-	-	46%
Two or More Races	-	-	724	-	-	-	-	-	-	24%
Students with Disability	-	-	705	-	-	-	-	-	-	9%
English Language Learners	-	-	706	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	39	736	719	15%	21%	28%	33%	3%	36%	17%

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PARCC ALGEBRA I - Performance Distribution

This table presents the grade level outcomes, as measured by PARCC, in all five performance levels for all subgroups. PARCC consists of five performance levels: Level 1 - Did not yet meet grade-level expectations, Level 2 -Partially met expectations, Level 3 - Approached expectations, Level 4 - Met expectations, and Level 5 - Exceeded expectations.

Subgroup	Valid Scores	Mean Scale Score	State Mean Scale Score	% Level_1	% Level_2	% Level_3	% Level_4	% Level_5	% Met/ Exceeded Expectation	State % Met/Exceeded Expectation
Schoolwide	-	-	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	40%
White	-	-	746	-	-	-	-	-	-	47%
African American	-	-	722	-	-	-	-	-	-	20%
Hispanic	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%
American Indian	-	-	733	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Asian	-	-	769	-	-	-	-	-	-	73%
Two or More Races	-	-	734	-	-	-	-	-	-	35%
Students with Disability	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	8%
English Language Learners	-	-	710	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	-	-	725	-	-	-	-	-	-	21%

### 2015 National Assessment Educational Progress (NAEP)

The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest national assessment of what our nation's students know and can do. NAEP assesses fourth-, eighth-, and twelfth-grade students in subjects such as reading, mathematics, science, and writing. The reporting of NAEP scores on state report cards is a federal mandate. The results of NAEP are also published as the Nation's Report Card, and are available for the nation, states, and, in some cases, urban districts. The NAEP scores on the report card include grades four and eight 2015 reading and math scores for New Jersey which are the last scores published.

For subgroup outcomes, visit:

Reading Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4read.html>  
 Reading Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8read.html>  
 Math Grade 4 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep4math.html>  
 Math Grade 8 <http://www.nj.gov/education/pr/1415/naep/naep8math.html>

For more information, visit <http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/>

#### Proficiency Percentages

Subject	Grade	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
Reading	Grade 4	State (NJ)	25	33	31	12
	Grade 4	Nation	31	33	27	9
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	20	39	35	6
	Grade 8	Nation	24	42	31	4
Math	Grade 4	State (NJ)	14	39	38	9
	Grade 4	Nation	18	42	33	7
	Grade 8	State (NJ)	21	32	30	16
	Grade 8	Nation	29	38	25	8

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**NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04**

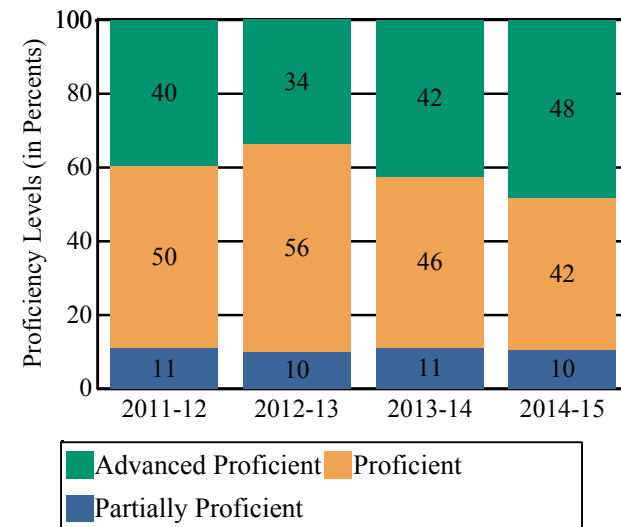
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	48%	42%	10%
White	62%	35%	4%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	45%	42%	13%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	18%	55%	27%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	48%	42%	10%

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

**NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04**

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08

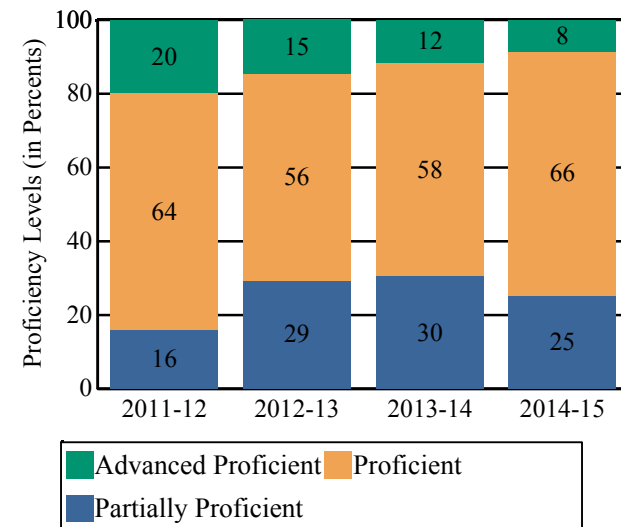
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	8%	66%	25%
White	8%	83%	8%
African American	-	-	-
Hispanic	9%	57%	34%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	0%	47%	53%
English Language Learners	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	9%	64%	27%

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under ESEA Waiver suppression rules.

NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 08

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



Students in both elementary and middle schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of successfully graduating high school is regularly attending school. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes the percentage of students that are chronically absent each year, defined as missing more than 10% of possible school days. Also presented is the percentage of students participating in Visual and Performing Arts coursework and Algebra I course outcomes.

### Algebra I Course Enrollment

This table presents the count of students in this school who were reported in the Algebra I course code in NJSMART and the count of students who took the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Enrollment Count	Algebra I PARCC Test Count
21	-

### Algebra I Test Taking

This table presents the percentage of students, as reported in NJSMART, who earned a C or higher in their Algebra I course and the percentage of students who met or exceeded expectation on the Algebra I test of PARCC.

Algebra I Percent C or Better	Algebra I PARCC Percent Met or Exceeded Expectation
90.5%	-

- Data Suppressed to protect the confidentiality of students

### Chronic Absenteeism Trend

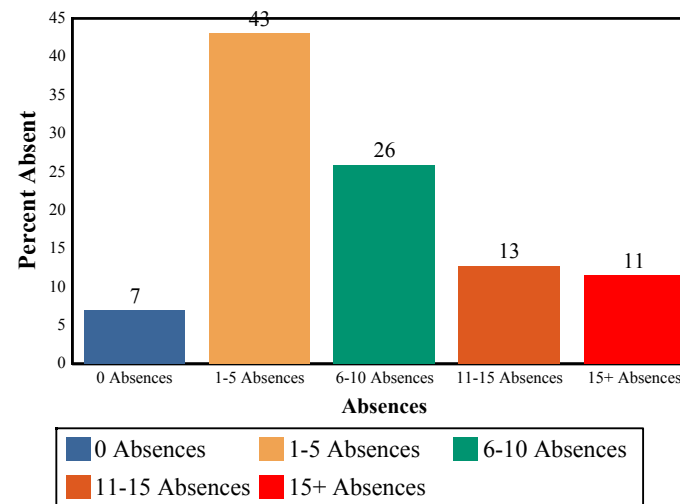
Due to irregularities in attendance data for the 2013-14 school year, the Department has chosen not to publish 2013-14 data. These issues have been addressed in the 2014-15 attendance data, presented here.

**Chronic Absenteeism for 2014-15**

**7.97%**

### Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1- 5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.



Visual and Performing Arts

The chart below contains the percentage of students who were enrolled in at least one Dance, Drama/Theater, Music or Visual Arts class in this school. The last row shows the percentage of students who were enrolled in any Visual and Performing Arts classes in the school.

Percent of Students Enrolled	School	State
Dance	N/R	1.6%
Drama/Theater	N/R	3.9%
Music	100.0%	66.0%
Visual Arts	76.5%	71.1%
Total: All Visual and Performing Arts	100.0%	89.8%

N/R - Data Not Reported



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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in Language Arts Literacy and in grades 4 through 7 in Math when compared to other students with a similar test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/>

The below chart consist of five columns with measures. The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either English Language Arts/Literacy or Mathematics for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the statewide target, which was set to 35.

The fourth row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	53	68	61	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	48	62	50	35	YES
		65	56		100%

**Student Growth**

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their performance on PARCC and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both in Level 1 - Did not yet meet expectations AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

**Language Arts**

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	8%	0%	0%
Partially Met	11%	4%	2%
Approached	9%	12%	9%
Met	5%	15%	18%
Exceeded	0%	0%	5%

**Math**

(Expectations)	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Did Not Yet Meet	4%	1%	0%
Partially Met	10%	6%	4%
Approached	17%	10%	11%
Met	6%	10%	18%
Exceeded	0%	0%	3%

**Low Growth** is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score less than 35.

**Typical Growth** is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score between 35 and 65.

**High Growth** is defined as a Student Growth Percentile score higher than 65.

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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is broader than the state's.

**Grade Level - 03**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	805	850
75th	758	770
50th	731	743
25th	712	715
0th	653	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	46	55

**Grade Level - 03**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	810	850
75th	765	767
50th	748	745
25th	724	722
0th	686	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	41	45

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**Grade Level - 04**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	800	850
75th	759	773
50th	739	750
25th	722	728
0th	659	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	37	45

**Grade Level - 05**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	820	850
75th	767	773
50th	748	751
25th	724	728
0th	667	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	43	45

**Grade Level - 04**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	793	850
75th	758	764
50th	742	742
25th	728	721
0th	685	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	30	43

**Grade Level - 05**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	803	850
75th	765	763
50th	745	743
25th	728	723
0th	688	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	37	40

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**Grade Level - 06**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	802	850
75th	764	770
50th	747	749
25th	724	726
0th	675	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	40	44

**Grade Level - 07**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	810	850
75th	765	776
50th	747	751
25th	727	724
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	38	52

**Grade Level - 06**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	792	850
75th	761	763
50th	739	742
25th	717	721
0th	667	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	44	42

**Grade Level - 07**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	790	850
75th	758	759
50th	738	740
25th	727	720
0th	650	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	39

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**Grade Level - 08**

**PARCC Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	801	850
75th	765	777
50th	744	751
25th	717	723
0th	665	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	48	54

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**Grade Level - 08**

**PARCC MATH 25th %ile vs 75th%ile**

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Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	802	850
75th	756	748
50th	733	726
25th	715	704
0th	672	650

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	41	44

# SCHOOL CLIMATE

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### Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2014-15	6 Hrs. 30 Mins.

### Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0.8%

### Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2014-15	School
Full Time	6 Hrs. 0 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

### Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School
2014-15	0

### Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2014-15	School
Faculty	15
Administrators	254

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

<u>COUNTY NAME</u>	<u>DISTRICT NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL NAME</u>	<u>CDS CODE</u>	<u>GRADES PAN</u>	<u>ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS</u>	<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION</u>
ATLANTIC	EGG HARBOR CITY	EGG HARBOR CITY COMMUNITY SCH	01-1300-030	04-08	78.4%	2.6%	24.1%
BERGEN	FAIRVIEW BORO	LINCOLN SCHOOL	03-1470-060	04-08	82.3%	9.1%	19.7%
CAMDEN	CAMDEN CITY	OCTAVIO V. CATTO FAMILY SCHOOL	07-0680-145	PK-08	88%	26.3%	16.2%
CHARTERS	LADY LIBERTY ACADEMY CS	LADY LIBERTY ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	80-7100-936	KG-08	82.2%	0.4%	13.7%
CHARTERS	PASSAIC ARTS AND SCIENCE CS	PASSAIC ARTS AND SCIENCE CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6080-966	KG-08	85.1%	3%	4.3%
CHARTERS	PRIDE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	PRIDE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6020-985	05-08	82.6%	0%	12.1%
ESSEX	IRVINGTON TOWNSHIP	UNION AVENUE MIDDLE SCHOOL	13-2330-140	06-08	85.5%	8.6%	8.6%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	BELMONT RUNYON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-225	PK-08	83.1%	0%	8.9%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	CAMDEN STREET ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-310	PK-08	78.4%	10%	39.8%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	DR WILLIAM H HORTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-440	KG-08	87.1%	19.6%	10.9%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	HAWTHORNE AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-470	KG-08	81.2%	0.9%	12.8%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	LAFAYETTE STREET SCHOOL	13-3570-480	PK-08	84.8%	8.6%	8%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-581	PK-08	84.3%	12.2%	7.6%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	PESHINE AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-370	PK-08	82.4%	7.1%	18.2%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	QUITMAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL	13-3570-605	PK-08	80.9%	0.7%	17.6%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	SPEEDWAY AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-690	KG-08	82.8%	0.4%	10.8%
HUDSON	HARRISON TOWN	WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	17-2060-070	06-08	80.7%	6.3%	17.7%
HUDSON	JERSEY CITY	MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. SCHOOL	17-2390-140	PK-08	88.1%	24.4%	6.6%
HUDSON	JERSEY CITY	OLLIE CULBRETH JR. SCHOOL	17-2390-160	PK-08	88.3%	23.9%	11.5%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	ALEXANDER HAMILTON ACADEMY	31-4010-043	KG-08	83.9%	9.3%	10.4%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR EDUCATIONAL COMPLEX	31-4010-312	KG-08	84.6%	11.7%	13.7%

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PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	<b>SCHOOL 24</b>	31-4010-270	PK-08	89%	19.9%	6.9%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	<b>SCHOOL 26</b>	31-4010-290	KG-08	83.8%	7.7%	10.3%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	<b>SCHOOL 6/ACADEMY OF PERFORMING ARTS</b>	31-4010-100	PK-08	87.3%	14.6%	7.6%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>CHARLES J. HUDSON SCHOOL NO. 25</b>	39-1320-280	KG-08	92.2%	34.9%	4.2%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS SCHOOL NO. 15</b>	39-1320-180	KG-08	88%	21.1%	4.6%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>JEROME DUNN ACADEMY NO 9</b>	39-1320-302	KG-08	91.6%	35.1%	10.8%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>JOHN MARSHAL SCHOOL NO. 20</b>	39-1320-230	KG-08	87.6%	21.5%	6.1%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>JOSEPH BATTIN SCHOOL NO. 4</b>	39-1320-035	KG-08	86.6%	23%	11%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>NICHOLAS MURRAY BUTLER SCHOOL NO. 23</b>	39-1320-260	PK-08	85.6%	15.5%	9.8%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	<b>WINFIELD SCOTT SCHOOL NO. 2</b>	39-1320-100	PK-08	87.5%	18.1%	5.4%